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**CARTILAGE LESIONS"** 

"DEVICE AND METHOD FOR

REGENERATION AND REPAIR OF )

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.34(b), enclosed please find a Power of Attorney for filing in connection with the above-identified patent application.

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## POWER OF ATTORNEY

On behalf of Sulzer Biologics Inc., a New Jersey corporation having a principal place of business at 9900 Spectrum Drive, Austin, Texas 78717, being the assignee of and owning all right, title and interest in the invention entitled "DEVICE AND METHOD FOR REGENERATION AND REPAIR OF CARTILAGE LESIONS", for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been made by Brent Atkinson and James J. Benedict, said application having been filed on February 16, 2000, receiving Serial No. 09/505,209, and further identified as Attorney File No. David S. Wise Secretary 2265-11-1, I, of Sulzer Biologics, Inc., hereby appoint David F. Zinger, Registration No. 29,127; Craig C. Groseth, Registration No. 31,713; Michael L. Tompkins, Registration No. 30,980; Sabrina C. Stavish, Registration No. 33,374; Todd P. Blakely, Registration No. 31,328; Lewis D. Hansen, Registration No. 35,536; Joseph E. Kovarik, Registration No. 33,005; Gary J. Connell, Registration No. 32,020; Wannell M. Crook, Registration No. 31,071; Douglas W. Swartz, Registration No. 37,739; Bruce A. Kugler, Registration No. 38,942; Robert R. Brunelli, Registration No. 39,617; Richard L. Hughes, Registration No. 31,264; Tejpal S. Hansra, Registration No. 38,172; Dana L. Hartje, Registration No. 40,638; Angela Dallas-Pedretti, Registration No. 42,460; Benjamin B. Lieb, Registration No. 42,801; Bradley M. Knepper, Registration No. 44,189; Theresa A. Brown, Registration No. 32,547; and Miriam R. Drickman, Registration No. 42,499 of SHERIDAN ROSS P.C., 1560 Broadway, Suite 1200, Denver, Colorado 80202-5141, telephone number (303) 863-9700, and Kenneth S. Barrow, Registration No. 36,085, of Sulzer Biologics Inc., 3 East Greenway Plaza, Suite 1600, Houston, Texas 77046-0391, as attorneys and agents for Sulzer Biologics Inc. with full powers of substitution, association and revocation to prosecute the application and related U.S. and foreign applications and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office and all foreign and international patent offices connected therewith.

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